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SUBJ: PUBLIC SAFETY TRAINING

1. WE HAVE BEEN APPROACHED INFORMALLY CONCERNING POSSIBILITY OF FINANCING VISIT TO U. S. OF TOP 10-20 GRADUATING CADETS OF CARABINERO COMMISSIONED OFFICERS SCHOOL. PURPOSE OF VISIT WOULD BE TO GIVE NEWLY- COMMISSPONED CARABINERO SECOND LIEUTENANTS BROAD VIEW OF POLICE ORGANIZATION RESPONSIBILITIES AND INCREASE THEIR TECHNICAL SKILLS. AS THEY ADVANCE IN THEIR CAREERS AND ASSUME MORE IMPORTANT DUTIES THEY WOULD HAVE CLEARER CONCEPT OF POLICE AS NON-

POLITICAL PUBLIC SAFETY ORGANIZATION. CARABINERO OFFICERS WHO FORMULATED PROPOSAL HOPE THAT TRIP WOULD BE REPEATED ANNUALLY, ALTHOUGH THEY REALIZE THAT MISSION IS NOT PREPARED TO UNDERTAKE LONG- TERM COMMITMEN.(

2. PRIOR TO DISCUSSING VISIT ON OFFICIAL BASIS, MISSION WOULD APPRECIATE AID/ W VIEW ON FEASIBILITY OF ARRANGING SUITABLE PROGRAM. IT MIGHT INCLUDE, FOR EXAMPLE, 2 WEEKS AT IPA FOR TRAINING IN POLICE MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION AND 2 WEEKS WITH FBI OR STATE OR LOCAL AGENCY FOR PRACTICAL TRAINING IN CRIME DETECTION AND INVESTIGATION OR TRAFFIC CONTROL, WITH APPROPRIATE ATTENTION TO NARCOTICS PROBLEMS AND CONTROL. GRADUATION FROM CARABINERO SCHOOL IS IN DECEMBER, AND TRIP WOULD PROBABLY BE SCHEDULED FOR JANUARY.

3. PLEASE ADVISE.
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